# ILLUSTRATED CATALOGUE

OF

# LADIES' & CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR,

CONSTRUCTED ON

DRESS REFORM AND HYGIENIC PRINCIPLES.

ESTABLISHED IN 1874.



The only Dress Reform Depot in New York City.

MRS. A. FLETCHER,

NO. 6 EAST FOURTEENTH STREET, NEW YORK,

Third Door East of Fifth Avenue.

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# Cash must Accompany All Orders.

Letters requiring answers must be accompanied by stamp to ensure a reply.

All orders for goods must be accompanied by cash.

Money should be sent by postal order, registered letter, or certified check, payable to Mrs. A. FLETCHER.

Persons ordering goods by mail, who wish the privilege of exchanging, must remit 12 cents in addition to the price of each garment. The goods to be exchanged must be returned in GOOD ORDER, and at expense of the purchaser.

# When Sending an Order,

Write at the top of your letter your Post-Office, County and State, with the date of writing.

State clearly how you wish goods to be sent—whether by Express or Mail; if by Mail, state whether you wish goods to be sent by Registered or Open Mail. A lady should always sign herself Miss or Mrs., to enable us to direct our answers properly.

# Registered Mail Packages.

Goods by mail can be registered at an extra expense of only 10 cts. We advise all ordering goods to have them sent in this way. Registered packages are handled more carefully, and are more easily traced in case of loss.

Whenever goods are ordered by mail, and sufficient money is enclosed, we shall register the packages, unless positively instructed to the contrary.

Put no writing in a package to be returned by mail, for on all such packages letter postage is charged and collected of us. All instructions should be sent in a letter.

# Goods Sent C. O. D.

If you wish us to forward goods C. O. D. by Express, we will do so, but we strongly advise you not to order goods sent in this manner. The expense of returning money by express will add materially to the cost of your purchase without any corresponding advantage, as the Express Companies absolutely refuse to allow packages to be opened before delivery. A deposit of \$2. required on orders sent C.O.D.

HE subject of dress reform cannot be fairly presented in one small page, but its important first principles can be briefly stated, and should be well understood by every woman who values health. It is well known that few women can lay claim to perfect health, that a large number of their prevalent ills are due to the faults and follies of dress, and these relate

largely to the *underclothing*, which we have endeavored to reform to the advantage of women in

#### GRACE, BEAUTY, COMFORT, AND HEALTH.

The ordinary modes of dress are at fault, in that

Ist. They compress the body in the region of important organs, cramping the lungs, heart, stomach, liver, and bowels; even displacing some organs, and surely exerting injurious compression.

2d. They impede the free circulation of the vital fluid, causing too much blood (congestion) in some parts and too little (coldness) in others.

3d. They place a weight about the waist, with a downward pressure, which is the most pronounced cause of "female weakness" and allied disorders, and one which effectually prevents any cure of these obstinate diseases.

4th. They envelop the central parts of the body in an excess of clothing, while the extremities are left without sufficient protection, causing superficial coldness and internal congestions.

It is because these facts are a matter of daily observation among physicians that they are the most strenuous advocates of dress reform, and their patients are our best customers. In fact many ladies come to us directly by request of their physicians, under the advice that dress reform is for them the first step toward cure.

The Union Under-Flannel, Waists, Supporters, etc., which we herewith offer have been devised for the purpose of providing women with a complete outfit of HYGIENIC UNDERGARMENTS, and they are becoming popular, even fashionable, because

THEY IMPROVE HEALTH, THE FIRST ESSENTIAL OF BEAUTY;

THEY FAVOR EASE OF MOTION, THE ELEMENT OF GRACE;

THEY ARE THE ONLY GARMENTS THAT ENSURE REAL COMFORT.

They are successful because they have been constructed in accordance with the requirements of nature and the perfection of art, and those who adopt them are sure to experience benefits in

HEALTH, HAPPINESS, AND USEFULNESS.

# How We Advise Ladies to Dress.

THE first garment that we recommend is THE UNION UNDER-FLANNEL (see p. 4), which consists of Vest and Drawers in one, forming a continuous garment from neck to waist and ankles. These are made in all weights, from thin gauze to heavy cashmere and all wool. Over that a waist, or corset. If the Equipoise or Emancipation Waist is preferred (see pp. 6 and 7), to it can be attached the Stocking-Supporter, and on it buttoned the Drawers and Skirts, which should have circular bands and be buttoned below the waist line. Personally we believe the all-elastic French Shoulder Stocking-Supporters, worn under the waist or corset, to be always preferable. If Dress Reform Corset Waist (see p. 8), or Corded Waist (pp. 9, 10, 11), which are low-necked, we advise Shoulder Stocking-Supporter, and the Drawers buttoned on waist, wearing over the waist our Princess Skirt (p. 27), and on this buttoning the other skirt.

For ladies who wear corsets, and who wear the Union Under-Flannel, we recommend a Stocking-Supporter from the shoulder (see p. 24), to be worn directly over the flannel and under the corset. If a corset with shoulder-straps, then the Stocking-Supporter can be at tached to the corset. Over the corset a Chemilette, which serves as corset-cover and drawers; upon this garment the skirt or skirts can be

buttoned

If neither Union Under-Flannel or merino or silk vest be worn under the corset, then the Chemilette (p. 27) should be worn next to the body, serving as a chemise and drawers; then over the corset a Corset-Cover and Under-skirt in one garment (p. 27), and upon this the outside skirt should be buttoned.

A lady dressed in this style has only three garments beside the corset under her dress. This mode of dressing is especially suited to stout

ladies, as all superabundance of material is dispensed with.

Having a large stock of Ready-Made Garments, we can fit almost any lady. Those who prefer to order, can do so at a slight increase of price over ready-made goods, and have their garments fitted by a competent person, and trimmed as desired. (See p. 28.)

Orders and measurements sent by mail must be filled at the risk of the purchaser. (For measures needed, see third page of cover.)

## THE DRESS OF CHILDREN.

The rearing of children in health and beauty is so important a subject, and a matter of such heavy responsibility to parents, that it requires the utmost consideration. Comfort is necessary to perfect growth, and an unimpeded use of each limb and organ is indispensable. As in childhood are laid the foundations for future health, and consequent usefulness, each garment should be so fitted as not to interfere with these essentials, and at the same time protect the child from the changes of weather in this fickle climate.

Mothers, therefore, are especially requested to examine the inventions for children, as they aim to insure comfort, freedom of motion,

and good health.

# Ribbed or Jersey Fitting Under Garments

MADE TO ORDER.

#### FOR GENTLEMEN.

TOD GDMIDH		
Vests.	Drawers.	Union Suits.
All wool, white\$3.75	\$3.75	\$7.50
" scarlet 4.50	4.50	9.00
Super. heavy merino, white 3.75	3.75	7.50
Heavy merino, white 3.25	3.25	6. <b>5</b> 0
Light " 2.50	2.50	5.00
Heavy cotton, Ecru 2.75	2.75	5.50
Light " " 2.25	2.25	4.50
FOR LADIES.		•
All wool, white\$3.25	\$3.25	\$6.50
44 scarlet	3.50	7.00
Super. heavy merino, white 3.25	3.25	6.50
Heavy merino, white 2.75	2.75	5.50
Light " 2.25	2.25	4.50
Heavy cotton, Ecru 2.50	2.50	5.00
Light " " 2.00	2.00	4.00

For extra sizes (larger than 42 Bust Measure), One Dollar more than above prices is charged for each garment. Closed Drawers, 50 cents extra.

#### MEASUREMENTS REQUIRED.

No. of Inches.

NECK (without allowance for lapping). If for "low" o "square neck," length desired for binding,	r
BUST (the tape measure being placed across the back, under arms, above breasts—giving exact size of body	r •
TITATOM .	,
Length under arm,	
From neck binding to bottom of waist, back and front,	
HIP—measure over largest part of body,	
DRAWERS-length from waist line to ankle,	
Size midway between knee and ankle,	·
Size of ankle,	
For Union garments, length from arm-pit to ankle, .	
When Vests and Drawers are ordered, give exact measure for Drawers binding in addition to Hip measure.	e
SLEEVE—Length of outside,	
If for short sleeve, length,	

When ordering for Gentlemen, in addition to above measures, we require inside length of leg to ankle.

#### From neek binding to seat, back and front.

If for short sleeve, size of arm above elbow,

When garments are ordered, state, if desired—Large Busts, Small Busts, or No Busts,—otherwise, Busts will be put in, in accordance with best judgment of manufacturer, directed by conclusions formed from general measurements of figure sent.

For a slight or diminutive figure, "Union" garments can be made without busts, but so deeply "biased" in front of Vest as to leave sufficient room for

chest expansion.

To prevent shrinking, wash in warm water, dry quickly, never allow to freeze, and never fron Flaunel garments.

# THE UNION UNDER-FLANNEL.

Patented October 27, 1868.

Reissued February 5, 1878.



The ever-increasing popularity of this most sensible hygienic garment fully warrants us in making an earnest request to all ladies who have never worn the Union Under-Flannels, that they will not allow another season to pass without purchasing a set of these suits and giving them a fair trial. Ladies who have tried them say that nothing would induce them to return to wearing the old-fashioned vests and drawers, and furthermore that it is difficult to express in words the feeling of ease and comfort derived from wearing these suits. Their universal verdict is, "Try them once, and you will never want to wear the others."

By reference to the drawing it will be seen that the vest and drawers are in one, being knitted together in process of manufacture, forming a continuous garment from the neck to the wrists and ankles, clothing the whole body evenly and

fitting it closely. These flannels are manufactured expressly for us from the finest white cashmere, merino, and all-wool, and also in cheaper grades.

In ordering ready-made, send waist and bust measure, and length from neck to ankle, and be careful to name style of garment desired.

On next page will be found prices. Those living at a distance can be supplied by mail.

# The Union Under-Flannel Suit for Children.



The superiority of these suits over all other forms of flannels for children is a point now settled beyond question. Every mother will study the welfare of her little ones by providing them with these comfortable garments, for they serve a two-fold purpose.

ist. They are the warmest undergarments that can be worn with other clothing during the day; and

2d. As a night-gown they are without comparison, being at once economical, warm and complete. They are sold at prices which bring them within the reach of all. See opposite page.

## THE UNION UNDER-FLANNEL.

# PRICE LIST. Ladies' in Fall and Winter Weight. BUST MEASURE.

STYLE	IN SIZES.		2	6	2	8	3	0	3	2	3	1	3	G	38	3
73	Merino, White. Cut and Seamed.	Per Su	it \$2	25	\$2	40	\$2	55	\$2	70	\$2	85	\$3	00	<b>\$</b> 3	15
1000	Merino, White. Full Fashioned.	Per Su	it 3	25	3	50	3	75	4	···	4	25	4	50	4	75
3000	Cashmere, White. Full Fashioned.	Per Su	iit 4	25	4	50	4	75	5	00	5	25	5	50	5	73
4000	Extra Cashmere, V Full Fashioned.	Vhite. Per Su	it 5	00	5	25	5	50	5	75	6	<b>c</b> 00	6	25	6	50
7025	Fine White All- Wool. Full Fashioned.	Per Su	ıit 5	75	6	25	6	75	7	25	7	75	8	25	8	75
6425	Fine Scarlet All- Wool. Full Fashioned.	Per Su	iit 5	25	5	75	6	25	6	75	7	25	7	7.5	8	25
9517	Scarlet, All-Wool. Cut and Seamed.	Per Su	iit 4	25	4	50	4	<b>7</b> 5	5	00	5	25	5	50	5	7.
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2210	Merino, White. Cut and Seamed.	Per Su	it \$2	00	\$2	10	\$2	20	\$2	30	\$2	40	\$2	50	\$2	60
520	Merino, White. Full Fashioned.	Per Su	it 3	50	3	75	4	00	4	25	4	50	4	<b>7</b> 5	5	00
	Misses', ir	. Fal	ll a	ne	1	W	in	teı	r 7	V	el	gh	t.	_		
STYLE	IN SIZES.			-	2	0	2	2	2	1	2	6	2	8	30	0
74	Merino, White. Cut and Se	amed.	Per S	Suit	\$1	60	\$1	70	\$1	<b>8</b> 0	\$1	90	\$2	<u></u>	Do r mal	
530	Cashmere, White. Full Fash	ioned.	Per S	Suit	2	40	2	<b>5</b> 5	2	70	2	85	3	СО	3	15
8517	Scarlet, All-Wool. Cut and Se	amed.	Per S	Suit	2	50	2	60	2	70	2	ε0	2	90	3	00
	Children's	, Fa	II a	ıne	a	W	în	te	r	W	ci	o li	t.			

Flannels sent by Express unless money is sent for postage.
Postage on Winter Weight, 25 cents per suit, registering 10 cents" on Summer Weight and Children's, 15 cents per suit.
To prevent shrinking, never iron Flannel garments.

IN SIZES.
Super. Merino, heavy (white).

20 22 24 26

Per Suit \$1 50 \$1 60 \$1 70 \$1 80

STYLE

# THE EQUIPOISE WAISTS, Patented March 21, '76, Dec. 13, '81, June 13, '82,

Fig. 2.

Fig. 1.

Are adapted to take the place of corsets, and are invaluable to invalids and those who find the confinement and pressure of the corset injurious or uncomfortable. They are made without steels; but several bones in front extend in a plain gored piece under the full bosom piece, giving to the figure all the support and neat appearance of the corset. These waists are made with lacings in the back, to admit of adjustment to the figure.

In adopting these Waists, no change of other parts of the clothing is necessary; the bands of the skirt are worn the same size; but it is very important that button-holes should be made, to fasten the skirt securely to the waists, to ensure the comfort and support they are expected to give.

If ladies wish their clothing arranged lower on the waist, it can be done by placing the buttons lower, and having larger, well-fitted waist-bands. The bones are arranged to be easily taken out for washing.

When made with tucked yoke and Hamburg trimming, they are

as tasteful and elegant as can be desired. Price, \$3.50.

The best materials are used, the work is carefully finished, the button-holes are made by hand, and the buttons strongly sewed on, which is considered a leading point of excellence.

This admirable article of clothing gives entire satisfaction. These

Waists are made HIGH or SQUARE neck, and white only.

In the cuts above, Fig. 1 represents the waist as made for Ladies and Misses, boned, and with full bust. The construction of inside of bust, under fulled piece, as shown in Fig. 3, is that of a corset front, so that these waists actually provide a corset and perfect bust support within a waist. Fig. 2 shows the Open Back Soft Waists as made for Children and Infants. Particular attention to the physical proportions and requirements of the growing little ones has been given in shaping the parts of these, and from the large variety of sizes, all ages can be perfectly fitted from stock.

Ladies'	Sizes,	20	to	30	inches.	Price,	\$2	25.
Misses'					66		1	75.
Children's	6.6	22	to	28	66	4.6		75.
Infants', Trimmed		22	to	23	44	66		75.
Ladles' Sizes, from 30 to 33 la	ches.	25	cen	ts (	extra.			
" above 33 inches,	50 cer	nts	ext	ra.				

For Ladies and Misses, Waist Measure required. For Children and Infants, Age and Waist Measure.

# THE EMANCIPATION WAIST.

Patented August 3, 1875.



Waist Measures from 22 to 28 inches. Price, Plain, \$1 75; Trimmed, \$2 50.



Waist Measures from 22 to 35 inches. Price, Plain, \$1 75; Trimmed, \$2 50.

This waist takes the place of the chemise, corset, and corset cover, and is so arranged that the bands of the skirts do not lay over one another, and, although fitting the form closely, leave every nerve, vein, and blood-vessel free to act, thus securing the recommendation and endorsement of all our leading physicians.

No. 2 is made with lacings under the breast, between the second and third seams, so that it can be enlarged, making it a most comfortable and useful garment for married ladies and invalids. No woman who has tried these garments ever complained of an uncomfortable strain at any point; and when they are worn, properly made and fitted, she is sensibly, healthily, and prettily clothed, with nothing to bind or to impede her circulation or movements. From her outward appearance, no one would suspect the change in her undergarments, and might be at a loss to account for the improvement which is sure to take place both in her health and disposition.

It is manufactured of fine white cotton cloth, with a lining of the same.

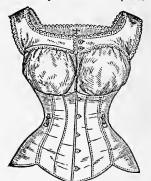
In ready-made garments only waist measure is required.

We warrant our garments to fit customers who call and are fitted at the rooms; but orders and measurements sent by mail must be filled at the risk of the purchaser.

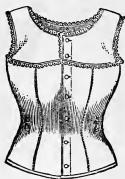
## Dress Reform Corset Waist.

## The Centennial.

Patented April 6 and Nov. 16, 1875.



FOR CHILDREN. Patented 1876.



The Dress Reform Corset Waist supp ses a demand long felt for an article for those addicted to the use of corsets, yet being devoid of the injurious defects of the same. Not only is this want satisfied, but a garment is also provided that is a compromise between the extreme waist and the ordinary corset, and one that is favorably received by those interested in Dress Reform.

Size, Price.
Ladies' (white or colored jeans)...... 21 to 34 \$1 50

#### WAIST MEASURE ONLY REQUIRED.

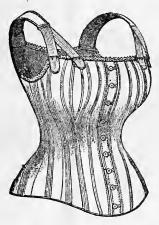
Ladies having skirts and drawers can adapt them to the new style of waists by putting on suitable bands.

#### THE CENTENNIAL.

The increasing demand for this waist is daily proving to us the favor with which it is received. We believe for young children it will take the lead of all now in the market.

Made of fine, colored and white, soft finished Jean, and trimmed with a patent everlasting Trimming, warranted to wash and wear better than any other.

# PERFECT CORDED WAIST.



The illustration is a fac-simile engraving from a photograph of the garment, and gives a correct idea of its general contour. In modeling the different parts, particular attention has been devoted to blend together the curves of the bust, waist and hip, in such a manner as to give the whole an easy, graceful, and stylish shape, which fits to the form closely, and yet does not bind or draw in any part.

Cords are used in place of bones to give the necessary stiffness, and to furnish a support to the bust, to which the straps over the shoulders lend aid, and by the novel manner in which these straps fasten in

front, all tendency to slipping off the shoulders is avoided.

The front of the Waist is made to button or clasp with a limber corset steel. Laced in back. The elastic in the shoulder straps may be readily removed when the corset is to be washed.

Made in a fine soft finished sateen, both white and drab.

In stating size, subtract one inch from a snug measure taken around waist over dress.

#### PRICES.

Ladies', Button or Steel Front, in sizes 19 to 32 inclusive, . . . \$1 75 Misses', Button Front only, in sizes 19 to 28 inclusive, . . . 1 50 Waist measure required.

KAUFMAN, TEXAS, Sept. 20, 1883.

#### Mrs. A. Fletcher:

I have had two Corded Waists of you, and like them more than any I ever had; they fit perfectly. I think I'll send you more orders soon.

Mrs. B. A.

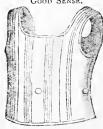
Plenty of testimonials, of which this is a sample.



# THE GOOD SENSE CORDED WAISTS FOR LADIES, BISSES, AND CHILDREN.

#### Perfect in Flt for all ages.

GOOD SENSE.



" BABY " WAIST

GOOD SENSE CORDED "BABY" WAIST.

Superfine material, soft and pliable, super. pearl buttons, buttons up back, white only.

Length in front, 8 or 9 inches as required.

#### GOOD SENSE CORDED WAIST FOR CHILDREN FROM THREE TO NINE YEARS.

Superfine material, fine bone buttons, made white only.

Length in front..... 10 inches.

Every size waist measure, 22 to 28 inches.

Price..... 75 cents.



BACK VIEW.

GOOD SENSE.

# THE MISSES' GOOD SENSE CORDED WAIST.

Superfine material, nicely corded, white only. Button front, laced all the way up the back.

Length in front......  $12\frac{1}{2}$  inches.

Sizes 19 to 28 inches, waist measure.

EXTRA FINE PEARL BUTTONS are used throughout, secured with Ferris' Patent Tape Fastening, with PATENT CORD EDGE buttonholes.

Price..... \$1.15.

#### YOUNG LADIES' GOOD SENSE CORDED WAIST, PLAITED FRONT.

Superfine material, nicely corded, white only. Button front, laced all the way up the back.

Length in front......  $13\frac{1}{2}$  inches.

Sizes 19 to 30 inches, waist measure.

The special advantage of this waist is in its Plaited bust, which is as SOFT AS SILK, and conforms to the shape of any misses form.

New patent buttons of finely finished Pearl, used throughout in this waist, with patent button-holes.

Price......\$1.38.

GOOD SENSE PLAITED FRONT.





# LADIES' GOOD SENSE CORDED WAIST.

This waist is handsomely finished, of SUPERFINE MATERIAL, satin finish, combining lightness in weight with strength and beauty. This waist is not made after any "French Pattern," but is made to conform to the natural beauty of the figure, and give the desired support without injury to the wearer.

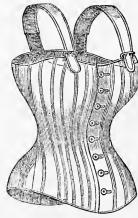
SHOULDER STRAPS are adjustable, and being curved and broad at the back, are comfortable, supporting the skirts and stockings directly from the shoulders.

PHYSICIANS affirm that such support is ESSENTIAL to health. EXTRA FINE PEARL BUTTONS are used throughout, secured with Ferris' Patent Tape Fastening, with Patent Cord Edge button-holes.

BROAD BACK STEELS are put in patent pockets (can be instantly removed), excellent for health, wear, and finish.

Buttons front, laced all way up back.





# LADIES' COMFORTABLE CORDED CORSET,

Heavy Sateen Jean, button front, laced up the back, elastic adjustable straps. Pockets for removable side and back steels. White or drab.

 MISSRS' SENSIBLE.



#### MISSES'

# Sensible Corded Corset.

Adjustable straps, skirt-supporting buttons, pliable clasps, superior shape, well made, white or drab.



# SENSIBLE CORDED CORSET FOR YOUNG LADIES.

Rather small at bust and hips, thus adapted to young ladies or ladies of slender form; white or drab.

Pliable clasps (double cloth covered), easily removed for washing.

Adjustable shoulder straps.

#### ACME CORSET AND DRESS PROTECTOR.

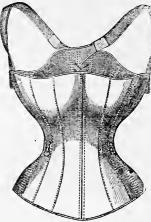


Is superior and more convenient than the old style Dress Shields. Being a complete garment in itself, is always ready to wear in any dress, jersey, or wrapper, saving the

trouble of tacking shields in each one. By wearing under corset or flannels all garments are protected at once. The cheapest, as one pair will do the work of half a dozen.

DRESSMAKERS will find it a great convenience in fitting ladies who perspire so freely as to spoil delicate colors, while being fitted.

## Improved Madame Clark's Combination Shoulder-Brace and Skirt-Supporting Corset.



Patented Oct. 27, 1874.

It is a pleasure to be able to offer this justly meritorious Corset in an improved form that cannot fail to be appreciated.

THE SPECIAL IMPROVE-MENTS IN THE "I. M. C." may be enumerated as follows:

1st. A few slight changes in the different parts which enter into the construction, render its fit much more easy and graceful than ever before.

2d. The necessary firmness and support is given by a judicious combination of cords, steels, and Genuine Whalebone; arranged so as to obviate any harsh stiffness

and to render the breaking of either almost, if not absolutely impossible.

3d. A soft dressed and superior quality of material is used, and as
the Corset is neither starched nor ironed, it will fit the form when
first put on and feel comfortable and easy from the start.

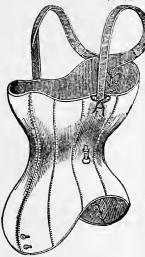
THE HYGIENIC QUALITIES are largely supplemented by the construction and function of the Shoulder-Brace, which runs from the outer side of each bosom-form over the shoulder and crosses in the back. Not only is a firmer support given to the bosom, but, by the peculiar manner in which it is made, it is also a brace to the shoulders, and avoids the annoyance caused by the slipping down of the shoulder straps when otherwise arranged.

In connection with the above, together with the manner in which the bones, steels and cords are distributed, not only is a most perfect-fitting Corset obtained, but one that gives to its wearer a symmetrical figure, without interfering in the least with any of the movements of the body or the circulation of the blood. This Corset pays respect to nature's mould, and combines in itself qualities at once recognized and endorsed by physicians and the public generally.

When ordering, send for a size two inches smaller than a close measure taken around the waist outside of dress.

### Improved Abdominal, or Extra Long Corset.

Patented October 27, 1874.



THE GREAT SATISFACTION which this Corset has always given to ladies fully developed or inclined to stoutness, warrants the statement that it imparts to the figure a stylish and graceful appearance without causing any discomfort, all of which is especially desirable when worn under the closely-fitting dresses of the prevail-

THE ADVANTAGES of the Shoulder-Brace Corset are combined with those of the ordinary Abdominal. Owing to the sensible arrangement of the straps they cannot slip off; they also form a complete brace to the shoulders as well as a support to the whole garment, thus relieving the hips and abdomen from undue pressure, and leaving the lower part of the body to free and unimpeded ac-

In sizes 20 to 35 inclusive. Sateen, white & drab. ...... \$2.50 Coutil,

When ordering, send for a size two inches smaller than a close measure taken around the waist outside of dress.

#### CIRCULAR SKIRT.

#### DRESS DRAWERS.



"DRESS DRAWERS" (trade name) to be worn in the place of the Under Skirt for extra warmth in riding or walking, and during extreme cold in and out of doors. This article is made of colored flannel, waterproof, or of the dress material, as may be preferred, made to fit at the ankle closely inside the boot, or with gaiters to go over the boot, and to fasten by but-tons arranged for the purpose upon the waist or Chemilette.

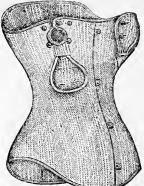
> Pattern... 30 cts. Drawers .. . \$5 75.

Plain, 22 to 30, inclusive . 88 cts. Trimmed. 22 to 30 inclusive.. \$1 12 Price of Pattern ....

Waist measures from 22 to 30 in. In taking waist measure, give exact size of waist.

# NURSING CORSETS:

FAVORITE NURSING CORSET



Has a new adjustment at bust, flap turns either way, very convenient and practical.

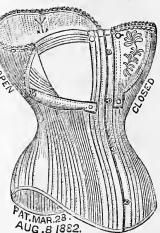
Corded at front for comfort.

Boned at the sides for support.

Silk-worked button-holes and pearl buttons at bust.

White or drab.

C. N. C. NURSING CORSET.



The breast pieces of the C. N. C. Corset turn aside upon a PIVOT, affording space large enough for the child to nurse with comfort.

The connecting BANDS above the breast hold the Corset in shape, whether the breast-pieces are open or closed.

It is constructed on true hygienic principles, and is a perfectfitting Corset, whether for NURS-ING or for ORDINARY WEAR,

White and drab.

Sizes ......18 to 30 inches. Price ...... \$1 50



#### INFANTS' DRAWERS.

These Garments cover the lower limbs from the ankle to the thigh.

Easily buttoned to Waist or Undershirt.

Quickly Removed or Replaced when necessary.

Prevents Infants in Short Clothes from taking Cold, thus

AVOIDING COUGHS AND CROUP.

Price, per pair..... 40 cents.

## THE COMFORT CORSET.





This corset has a socket adjustment for the shoulders so nicely contrived and fitted that it cannot by any means slip up on the neck or down on the arm. By this invention the whole burden of the clothes is transferred to that part of the shoulder best adapted to sustain their

weight; supporting everything without the least inconvenience and almost without the wearer's consciousness, realizing the name we give to the garment—making it, in very truth,

#### A COMFORT CORSET.

In the place of bones we insert continuous rows of very stiff cord, which give all the support of bones with the advantage of yielding to every movement of the form, and of being washed without changing the fitness of the garment.

# Directions for Measurement for the Ladies' Comfort Corset:

For the WAIST measure, draw the tape tight around the waist over the dress, and deduct two inches for thickness of clothes.

For the SHOULDER measure, also taken over the dress, pass the tape around the shoulders (as shown in the illustration), draw moderately, not tight, and make no déduction.

Sizes of the Ladies' Comfort Corset in stock as follows:

Waist.		Sho	ulder.	
18	34,	36,	_	
20	34,	36,	38,	40
22	34,	36,	38,	40
24	36,	38,	40,	42
26	38,	40,	42,	44
28	40,	42,	44,	46
30	42,	44,	46,	48

Making 26 different sizes.

It is made of fine Sateen, white and drab.

Price......\$1 50.

## DR. GRAY'S

# Back-Supporting Shoulder-Brace.





Patented February 24, 1880.

"As the twig is bent, so is the tree inclined."

The truth of this old adage is forcibly brought to mind when one sees a man or woman disfigured by a crooked spine or stooping shoulders, and one mentally exclaims, if that person had only had proper care when young, that awkward figure might have been avoided.

For the purpose of correcting this evil, the Back-Supporting Shoulder-Brace has been devised, and so effectual is it in accomplishing its purpose, that it is rapidly growing in favor with all who have worn it, and it is spoken of in the highest terms of praise by all physicians who have seen and examined it.

The illustrations above show a back and profile view of the article. Attention is called to the general construction, by which a perfect strengthening support is given to the back, at the same time drawing the shoulders back so as to expand the chest and throw the body into an erect, graceful position. All tendency to round shoulders is thus avoided, and this to the young, at the period when bones and muscles are growing and hardening, is a most important item.

Provision is made for attaching skirt and stocking supporters, thus relieving the hips entirely from the drag of both. The pad in front

serves to keep the back securely in place and prevent all tendency to getting out of position. MADE IN FOUR SIZES, drab only.

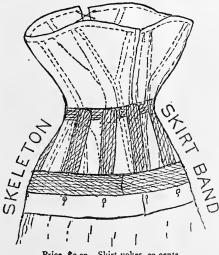
> Extra small (waist measure 16 to 20). Small (waist measure 18 to 23). Medium (waist measure 24 to 27). Large (waist measure 28 to 33).

#### DIRECTIONS FOR ADJUSTING.

First slacken the lacing in the back from top to the waist line; then buckle the shoulder straps into the buckles under the arms; then put the supporter on, as shown in illustrations, and buckle the waist belt; then shorten the shoulder straps and tighten the lacing until the drawing back of the shoulders can be felt, care being taken not to make it too tight at first. After a few days the wearer becomes accustomed to it, and the straps and lacing can be gradually tightened until the erect position is attained without making the shoulders ache.

To take off the brace, unbuckle the waist belt and slip the straps off the shoulders.

# SKELETON SKIRT BAND.



Price, \$2.00. Skirt yokes, 20 cents.

It is an arrangement by which corpulent and shortwaisted ladies may wear below the hips all pleats, gathers, yokes, bands, and, in fact, everything pertaining to the toos of garments pendant from the waist; thus reducing the circumference of the hips, lengthening the waist, and allowing the corsage to fit smoothly over the corset without whalebone or other support.

With each Band is furnished a voke with worked button-holes to show the manner of finishing tops of garments.

For measurement, pass tape-line straight around body as low as possible when seated.

# Shoulder-Brace and Corset Combined.

BRACE CORSET.



LADIES' CORDED BRACE CORSET.

Brace and Corset Combined.

This Corset may be worn with or without the brace attachment, clasps at front, so it may be put on or off as readily as any corset.

The back has very strong support; the Brace is padded to make it comfortable. White only.

Sizes...... 18 to 26 inches.
Price.......\$2 00

BRACE WAIST.



BACK VIEW.



MISSES' CORDED BRACE WAIST

Combines Corded Waist and Shoulder-Brace in one. Buttons at front and buttons at the side for Skirt and Stocking Supporters Has bust straps to prevent cushions slipping off the shoulders. May be worn merely as a waist, if so desired. White only.

#### SUPPORTER. ABDOMINAL

Patented December 18, 1877.



For many years past a want has been strongly felt by all our leading Physicians and Surgeons for an Abdominal Supporter that would more fully meet the general requirements of common use. To this end has been devised this Supporter, the merits and worth of which have been at once recognized and

appreciated by every physician who has seen and examined it. Many ladies are daily suffering from troubles which are caused by the weight and downward pressure of the bowels, and all of which may be relieved or permanently cured by the use of this Supporter. For ladies just after confinement it is especially adapted, for it supports the relaxed organs in the abdominal region in their natural position,

and all tendency to deformity is avoided.

It can be worn with ease at all times, and is the greatest aid ever yet devised to give comfort and support in walking up and down stairs,

riding over rough roads, or any active exercise whatever.

Gentlemen who are troubled with corpulency or weakness in the abdominal region, will also derive much benefit and relief from the use of this Supporter.

Price, \$2.50; Extra Deep, \$3. With Hose Supporter, 50 cents extra.

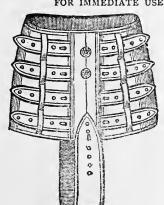
These Abdominal Supporters are made in sizes, 24, 26, 28, etc., on EVEN NUMBERS to No. 42, inclusive; above No. 42, they will be made to order, at a rise of 25 cents per size.

In stating size, send for a number two inches smaller than a snug measure

taken next the skin around the full part of the abdomen.

## MRS. FLETCHER'S OBSTETRIC BANDAGE.

FOR IMMEDIATE USE AFTER CONFINEMENT.



This bandage is strongly recommended by the Medical Profession, for combining the following advantages over the ordinary toweling used after confinement.

rst. It is easily and simply applied to the patient, requiring to be placed under once only, and no pinning or other fastening than the hooks is required,

2d. It soon reduces the figure to its natural dimensions, as the straps can be taken up a hook at a time, without moving or dis-turbing the patient.

3d. Improper bandaging by inexperienced nurses is impossible, the bandage being so simple that any one can apply it.

4th. The steel plate in the front of those so fitted is a valuable substitute for the book, or other stiff substance often used, as it combines firmness with elasticity, cannot get out of place, and can be withdrawn when no longer required without unfastening the bandage or otherwise disturbing the patient.

#### OBSTETRIC BANDAGE, \$4.

TO BE HAD ONLY OF

MRS. A. FLETCHER, 6 East 14th Street.

# FORMS AND PADS:

Price. . . . . . . . . . . . . 75 cents.

#### COMBINATION DRESS FORMS.

This new Dress Form consists of a regular bosom-pad, extended and made to fit the hollow in front of the arm, supplying the fullness essential to perfec-

tion of shape.

Specially adapted to the "JERSEY," or other tightfitting garments.

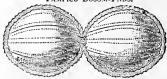
TO THE WEARER .-Unfasten the pads at front, place the arms through the straps, draw straps through side buckles until the pads set properly on the person. The the person. shoulder-straps, too long, may be cut off under the pad; leave end of strap through back part of buckle, so as to keep

it smooth. To take Combination Dress Form off, unfasten at front and slip straps off the shoulders.

These are made of light, open material, that admits of a perfect circulation of air, thus rendering them always cool and well ventilated. They are not affected by heat or moisture, are strong and durable, and therefore an economical Pad. This description applies alike to the "Ĉomfort" and the "Tampico."

# THE ADJUSTABLE "COMFORT" BOSOM-PAD.

.... 50 cents. TAMPICO BOSOM-PADS



Price ......35 cents.

" EMPRESS" INFLATABLE BOSOM-PAD. Patented.

Price.. ... \$2 00.

It is made of the best white rubber, and is so shaped that its tapering ends, extending to the arm-pits, makes a PFR-

FECTLY FAULTLESS BOSOM formation.

It is light, soft and pliable, giving ease and comfort to the wearer. It can be inflated to any size

desired, and is encased in a neat muslin cover, trimmed with fancy edging.

## THE ELLIOTT, OR LADIES' SAFETY SUSPENDER.

Patented October 26, 1875.



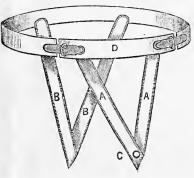
This useful and much-desired article, unlike all others in the market, supports the bandage from the shoulders.

"The Elliott" Safety Suspender, in design, practicability, and workmanship, is without a rival in the market. It consists of easy-fitting straps passing over the shoulders, made adjustable in every part, having Pat. Shielded Safety Pins for firmly attaching to the Periodical Bandage. It has received the highest recommendations from the medical faculty, and is commended by every lady at sight. It being indispensable in promoting health and comfort, we feel confident that once used it will never be dispensed with, but highly recommended by all ladies.

PRICE.....50 cents.

#### The Ladies' New Sanitary Napkin and Belt.





A-Front. B-Back-Elastic. D-Waist-belt. E-Napkin with strings, the forestring to attach to ring C.

These NAPKINS are made from Cotton and Gauze that have been rendered ABSORDENT and ANTISEPTIC. They differ entirely from ordinary cotton-wool and similar materials; are very light and of a downy softness. They are readily destroyed after use by burning, and in every way they are a vast improvement on the ordinary appliances.

#### REASONS FOR ADOPTING THE LADIES' SANITARY NAPKIN:

Increasing Comfort.
 In Delicate Health Less Liability to Chill.
 Cleanliness.
 Advantage in Traveling.
 Diminution of Risks of Disease.
 No washing.

Price, 35 cts. per doz. Sanitary Felts, 25 cts. By mail, 50 """ Sold only by MRS. A. FLETCHER,

# Stocking-Supporters from Shoulders.

French. Fig. 1. Patented May 9, 1882.

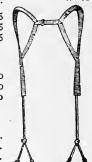


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PRENCH	ALL-ELASTIC.

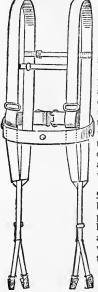
### WEBBING & ELASTIC.

#### NILSON.

NILSON STOCKING-SUPPORTER AND SHOULDER-BRACE. Patented Nov. 4, 1873



STIGER.



ATLAS SHOULDER-YOKE STOCKING-SUPPORTER. Patented Nov. 1, 1877

Stocking-Supporters are now so generally used that they are recognized by all as an essential part of the dress of every lady and child in the country. Not only do they keep the stocking much neater and smoother than the old way of girthing the limb with a cruel elastic band, but they accomplish their work without any discomfort to the wearer, and if properly adjusted are always to be depended upon.

The French Shoulder Stocking-Supporter (Fig. 1) is the best for health and comfort. The lower part of this Stocking-Supporter has been arranged to fasten upon any waist or corset, for ladies who do not like the straps over

the shoulders.



Belt Measurements.

From 23 to 26 in, inclusive.

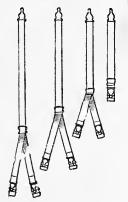
Price, - - 50 cts.

## SIDE-STRAPS:

DOUBLE SIDE-STRAP. Fig. z.



The Double Side-Strap (Fig. 1) has the advantage over all other Side-Straps, because the lower part is attached to the upper by a ring, which allows it to conform to every motion of the body.



BUTTON AND LOOP



These cuts represent the best Fasteners in the market.

In sending orders for any style of Stocking-Supporter, please name the Clasp desired.



LADIES' SAFETY BELTS.

Price ..... 50 cts.

LENGTH OF BELTS, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, and 36 inches.



SMALL SAFETY PIN.

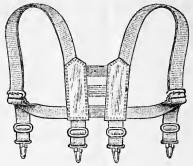
8 cts. per dozen.

LARGE SAFETY PIN.

10 cts. per dozen.

## SKIRT-SUPPORTERS:

Fletcher's Improved Skirt-Supporter.



PRICE, \$1.00.

THE PEERLESS. Patented Nov. 1, 1873.



All skirts should be supported from the shoulders; if not on a waist, the next best thing is a good skirt-suspender; the best in the market is sold by us.

THE NONPAREIL. Patented May 5, 1874.



Peerless, 30 cents.

Nonpareil, 30 cents.

IMPERIAL SHOULDER-BRACE & SKIRT-SUPPORTER COMBINED.

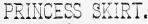
Patented May 5, 1874.

Ladies' and Misses', 50 Cents.



Price, 55 cents.

## CHEMILETTE.







Price \$4.90.

Price \$5.50.

Bust Measure, Ladies' size, 30 to 40 inches.	
Price of Ready-made Muslin Garment, trimmed high neck\$2	00
Price of Pattern	30
	20
Trimmed like Cuts above only made to order.	

# Chemilette, Basque Waist and Drawers.







Bust measure, Ladies' size, 30 to 40 inches. Misses' and Children's sizes, 22 to 30 inches.

#### PRICE OF PATTERNS:

No. 1.—Is a garment made of Flannel, cut long to button around the ankle. Only made to order.

Price of garment (all colors). ...\$6 00
Patterns ... 30

# PRICE LIST.

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CORDED WAISTS AND	CORSETS.
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Child's Good Sense, white only (from three to nine "Twin" Baby Waist "" ""	years),
CORDED CORSET AND SHOULDER-	BRACE COMBINED.
Ladies', with steels, white only, Misses', with buttons, "	
NURSING CORSE	rs.
Favorite, cords and bones, white or drab, C. N. C., " " "	
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HEALTH CORSET	
Ladies', Clark's Improved Short Corset, sateen, wh	nite and drab, \$1 75
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" Beacon,	
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" kid "	40
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Ladies' Best Friend, Magic Buttons, per doz., Bone "gross, "per doz., Rubber Dress Shields, per pair, Sleeve Protector, Improved Tidy Fastener, per doz.,	•						08
Rubber Dress Shields, per pair,			•	•	•		25
Sleeve Protector, "	•			•	•	٠	25
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Ladies' Cotton Chemilette,							30
" Flannel "		•	•	٠	•	•	30
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Ladies' Circular Skirt,							20
Misses'							20
Ladies' Gored Skirt,	•	•	•	•	•	•	20
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Barracoat, or Foot Blanket,	٠	•	•	•	•	•	10 15
Flannel Skirt,						:	15
Night Slip.						·	15
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Bib,							10
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Class	•	•		•	•	٠	15
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